

The Month on the Air: Dxpeditons in Sep 2016 (Dates, DXCC, Callsign, Info) from ADXO with Bill, NG3K's kind permission.

- *until Sep 3 **Pitcairn I VP6J** by JF2MBF JA2FJP; 160-10m; CW SSB RTTY; QSL: LotW or via JF2 or MBF direct (w/ SAE + US\$2) & Club Log
- *until Jul 4 **Malta 9H3G** by IT9BTI JA3TJA JA3QWN JA3FVJ; 40-10m; CW SSB RTTY PSK; Spiderbeam, vertical dipole; QSL: JH3FUK or Club Log
- *until Sep 4 **Corsica TK/MW1LCR/p** by MW1LCR; 80-10m, focus on 40 20m; SSB, perhaps RTTY; QRP eQSL
- *until Sep 4 **Corsica TK/DL9MU** by DL9MU; 20m; SSB; 100w; QSL: DL9MU OK via eQSL
- *until Sep 5 **Macao XX9TYT** QSL: IW7EGQ by IK7YTT; 80-10m; QRV for All Asia SSB
- *until Sep 10 **Aves I YX0V** by 14 ops fm NA-020; 40-6m; CW SSB; exact dates uncertain; QSL: W4DTA
- *until Sep 11 **St Lucia J68HZ** by K9HZ; 160-6m; CW RTTY SSB; Elecraft K3; 3 ele beam; QSL: LotW or via K9HZ; looking for AK + MT for 8BWAS
- *until Sep 18 **Namibia V5/** by DC8QT, DD8ZX, DJ9KM fm Omaruru; 160-10m; CW SSB RTTY PSK; V55V in CQ WPX RTTY; QSL: Homecall
- *until Sep 21 **Vanuatu YJ** by KC0W as TBD; 160-6m; CW; 500w; verticals; do not work more than once on each band. QSL: KC0W Direct
- *until Sep 24 **Mongolia JT1DBS** by OK1DBS fm Ulaan Baatar for 1st two week, then fm Batshireet using JT1DBS/3; HF. QSL: OK1DBS
- Sep 1-15 **East Kiribati T32AZ** by KH6QJ fm Kiritimati I; 80-10m (no WARC); CW SSB; QRV for All Asia SSB & WAE SSB; QSL: KH6QJ
- Sep 3-24 **Bonaire PJ4/PA3BWK** by PA3BWK; 80-10m; mainly CW, some RTTY PSK, possibly SSB; QSL: LotW or via PA3BWK direct
- Sep 3-Nov 25 **Pitcairn I VP6AH** by DL2AH; 40-10m; SSB + digital; 100w; Windom; hol style; QRV fm Mangareva/Gambier as TX2AH or TO2AH before
- Sep 5-12 **New Caledonia FK/F8FUA** by F8FUA fm Lifou I (OC-033); HF; CW SSB RTTY; 100w; holiday style; QSL: LotW or Bur, direct or eQSL
- Sep 6-24 **Mongolia JT** by OK1DBS & OK1XC as JT1DBS, JT1XC, JT1F, JT1DBS/3, JT1XC/3; HF; CW SSB RTTY; QSL: LotW or via JT1F & eQSL
- Sep 7-12 **Svalbard JW/SM7RYR** by SM7RYR; 20m; CW; QRP QSL: LotW
- Sep 8-19 **South Cook Is E51Q** by JF2MBF JA2FJP; 160-10m; CW SSB RTTY; QSL: LotW, JA2FBY direct (w/ SAE + US\$2) & Club Log
- Sep 10-17 **Samoa 5W0BOB** by VK2BOB; 40 20m; SSB; Buddistick; holiday style operation; QSL: VK2BOB Direct 3 green stamps w/QSL request
- Sep 10-20 **St Pierre & Miquelon TO5FP** by F4HEC F1RAF FK8IK F5MUX fm Ile Aux Marins (NA-032) QSL: TBA
- Sep 12-29 **St Kitts & Nevis V47JA** by W5JON fm Calypso Bay, St Kitts; 160-6m, incl 60m; SSB; yagi, verticals, dipole; QSL: LotW or W5JON direct
- Sep 15-21 **Faroe Is OY/ON4ANN** by ON4ANN, ON4ACP ON4CCV ON4CKM ON5PDV ON6MI ON4DTO likewise; 80-6m, SSB CW PSK RTTY; QSL: LotW or via M0URX
- Sep 15-29 **Cape Verde Is D44TUJ** by DK8FA fm Boa Vista I (AF-086); mainly 20m; mainly digital; QSL: DK8FA via DARC Buro or direct
- Sep 16-19 **Svalbard JW/LB5WB** by LB5WB fm Spitsbergen I (EU-026); CW; QRV on SAC Contest; QSL also OK QSL: LotW or LB5WB Buro/direct
- Sep 18-30 **Comoros D66D** by OK1FPS OK1FCJ OK6DJ fm AF-007; 160-10m; CW SSB RTTY; QSL: LotW or via OK6DJ and eQSL
- Sep 20-25 **Cuba T42CH** by HA3JB fm NA-015; 160-10m QSL: HA3JB
- Sep 20-27 **Samoa 5W0JHQ** by JA0JHQ fm Fonoti; 160-30m; CW, some SSB; Micro vertical; QSL: LotW or via JA0JHQ (Buro/direct)
- Sep 20-29 **Niue E6** by JF2MBF JA2FJP as TBA; 160-10m; CW SSB RTTY; QSL: LotW or via JF2KOZ direct (w/ SAE + US\$2) & Club Log
- Sep 23-Oct 4 **Isle of Man MD/DM2AUJ** by DM2AUJ, DL4SVA,DL7VEE,DL1RTL,DL7JOM,DL2AWG likewise; 80-10m; SSB CW RTTY; 2 stations 24/7; Spiderbeams, verticals, loops, R7; QSL: LotW or via home call (DARC Buro/direct)
- Sep 23-28 **Fernando de Noronha PX0F** by PP5BZ fm SA-003; HF; QSL: PP5BZ
- Sep 24-Oct 10 **Kenya 5Z4/IW5BBV** by IW5BBV fm Watamu & Mida; 40 20 17 15m; QSL: IW5BBV via Buro/direct, also eQSL
- Sep 24-Oct 8 **Seychelles S79KB** by DL2SBY fm Praslin & Mahe Is; 40-10m; CW SSB RTTY; 600w; verticals; QSL: DL2SBY via Buro/direct or Club Log
- Sep 24-Oct 3 **Solomon Is H44GC** by LZ1GC DL8JJ fm Guadalcanal, (OC-047, QI90xn); 160-10m, low bands; CW SSB RTTY; QSL: LotW or via LZ1GC
- Sep 24-Oct 24 **West Kiribati T30COW** by KC0W fm OC-017; 160-6m; CW; 500w; verticals; QSL: KC0W Direct (don't work more than once on each band)
- Sep 25-Oct 15 **Norfolk I VK9NZ** by ZL3GA ZL3AB ZL4TT ZL3PAH; 160-6m; CW SSB RTTY; hexbeams, verticals; QSL: LotW or ZL3PAH & Club Log
- Sep 26-Oct **Sao Tome & Principe S9BT** by EA3BT & EA3WL as S9WL fm Ilhu das Rolas (AF-023); 40-6m; SSB, some CW RTTY; QSL: EA3BT
- Sep 27-Oct 1 **Cayman Is ZF2EZ** by W5SJ fm ZF1A station; looking for Asia on 30m; perhaps also 20m; CW QRP; QSL: W5JAY
- Sep 27-Oct 4 **Tuvalu T2R** by KK7L N7SMI fm Funafuti Atoll; 80-10m; SSB CW RTTY; QSL: LotW via Club Log (pref), N7SMI direct (2USD), eQSL
- Sep 28-Oct 4 **Tonga A35JP/p** by JA0RQV fm Niuafo'ou I (OC-123); QSL: JA0RQV via JARL Buro/direct

Long-term DX operations

* until Jan 26, 2017 **Fernando de Noronha PY0F/PP1CZ** by PP1CZ; 80-10m; CW RTTY SSB: QSL: PP1CZ

Contests (to enjoy or simply avoid!)

Sep 3	1300-1600 UTC	AGCW Straight Key Party, CW ; 40m only; Exchange: RST/serial/Class/Name/Age
Sep 3	0000-2359 UTC	Russian WW RTTY Contest, RTTY ;80-10m (not WARC); Exchange:RST + CQ Zone (14) /2-letter Oblast
Sep 3	0000-2400 UTC	CWops Bimonthly Open, CW ;160-10m (not WARC); 1200-1600 UTC focus: ITU Region 1; Exchange: serial number & name
Sep 3-4	0000-2400 UTC	All Asian DX Contest, Phone , 80-10m (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RS + 2-digit Age
Sep 3-4	1300-1300 UTC	RSGB SSB Field Day, SSB , 80-10m (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RS + serial number
Sep 3-4	1300-1300UTC	IRTS HF SSB Field Day. Phone . 80-10m (Not WARC bands). Exchange: RST + serial number
Sep 3-4	1400-1400 UTC	144MHz Trophy Contest ; 2m only, Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6-digit locator
Sep 3-4	1400-1400UTC	IARU 2m Contest, All modes ; 2m only Exchange: RST + serial number
Sep 4	1000-1400 UTC	WAB 144MHz QRO, Phone ; 2m only, Exchange RS + serial number + (Rx: Country, Tx: WAB Square)
Sep 4	1100-1500 UTC	RSGB 5th 2m Backpackers, All modes ; 2m only QRP (<4W or <10W) /P (not /M) Exchange: RS(T) + 6-digit locator + 2-letter postcode
Sep 4	1100-1700 UTC	DARC 10m Digital Contest, RTTY Amtor Clover PSK31 Pactor , 10m only, Exchange: RST + serial number
Sep 6	1900-2130 UTC	RSGB 144MHz UKAC, All modes ; 2m only Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6-digit square.
Sep 7	1900-2000 UTC	RSGB 80m Club Sprint, SSB ; 80m only, Exchange: Both callsigns + serial number + Name
Sep 7	2000-2100 UTC	UKEICC 80m Contest, CW ; 80m only, Exchange: 4-digit square
Sep 10	0000-2359 UTC	Churches-on-the-Air (CHOTA) All bands & modes; work SES in churches (QSO rather than contest format)
Sep 10-11	0000-2359 UTC	WAE DX Contest, SSB , 80-10m (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RS + serial number
Sep 10-11	1200-2400 UTC	SKCC Weekend Sprint, CW, HF (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RST + Name + Country + “None”
Sep 11	1300-1900 UTC	Swiss HTC QRP Sprint, CW ; 80m, 40m & 20m; Exchange: RST/Class (VLP<1W,QRP<5W,QRO>5W)/Country/Name
Sep 13	1900-2130 UTC	RSGB 432MHz UKAC, All modes ; 70cm only Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6-digit square.
Sep 17-18	1200-1200 UTC	Scandinavian Activity Contest, CW ; 80-10m (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RST + serial number
Sep 17-18	1300-1300 UTC	SRT HF Contest, SSB ; HF (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RS + CQ Zone (14)
Sep 18	0900-1200 UTC	RSGB Second 70MHz Contest ; 4m only, Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6-digit locator
Sep 18	1700-2100 UTC	BARTG Sprint 75, 75 baud RTTY ; 80-10m (Not WARC bands), Exchange: serial number
Sep 18	0900-1200 UTC	RSGB Second 70MHz Contest All modes. Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6 character locator
Sep 27	1900-2130 UTC	RSGB 50MHz UKAC, All modes ; 6m only Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6-digit square.
Sep 24	1700-2100 UTC	RSGB International Sprint Contest, CW ; 80, 40 & 20m, QRP<5W, LP<100W; Exchange: his call signs + RST + name + your call sign.
Sep 24-25	0000-2400 UTC	CQ Worldwide DX Contest, RTTY , 80-10m (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RST + CQ Zone (14) + US State/VE area
Sep 24-25	0000-2400 UTC	Railways on the Air (ROTA) Weekend All bands & modes; work SES on railways (QSO rather than contest format)
Sep 24	1400-1700 UTC	AGCW VHF/UHF Contest, CW ; 2m, Exchange RST/serial number/Class (A<5W, B<50W, C>50W)/IARU locator (6-digit)
Sep 24	1700-1800 UTC	AGCW VHF/UHF Contest, CW ; 70cm, Exchange RST/serial number/Class(A<5W,B<50W,C>50W)/IARU locator (6-digit)
Sep 25	1200-1600 UTC	PW 70MHz Contest, SSB CW FM AM ; 4m, QRP<10Wpep & QRO, Exchange: RS(T)+serial number+IARU 4-digit locator
Sep 27	1900-2130 UTC	RSGB 70MHz UKAC, All modes ; 6m only Exchange: RS(T) + serial number + 6-digit square.
Sep 28	0000-0200 UTC	SKCC Sprint, CW, HF (Not WARC bands), Exchange: RST + Name + State/Country + Power/SKCC No.
Sep 28	2000-2100 UTC	UKEICC 80m Contest, CW ; 80m only, Exchange: 4-digit square
Sep 29	1900-2000 UTC	RSGB 80m Club Sprint, CW ; 80m only, Exchange: Both callsigns + serial number + Name

Weekly Sep 7,14, 21, 28 **CWops Mini-CWT, CW**;160-10m (not WARC); straight key; call “CQ CWT” 28-38kHz up from band edge; Exchange: Name & State/DX Country Prefix. At 1300-1400 UTC focus is Asia & Pacific; 1900-2000 UTC focus is Europe & Africa & Thursday 0300-0400 focus is USA & Canada

Pre-contest Activity CQ WW DX RTTY Contest, (Sep 24-25, 2016)

Call	DXCC	CQZ	QSL/QRV	Call	DXCC	CQZ	QSL/QRV
5H1WW	Tanzania	37	Sep19-28;160-10m;CW SSB RTTY	CB1H	Chile	12	CE1DY; by Antofagasta Contest Team
GU0URR	Guernsey	14	G0URR	HB0/DL5YL	Liechtenstein	14	DL5YL; QRV Sep 22-Oct 10; 160-2m
HB0/DL5YM	Liechtenstein	14	DL5YM; QRV Sep 22-Oct 10; 160-2m	HI3/HA3JB	Dominican Rep.	08	HA3JB
MD/DL1RTL	Isle of Man	14	DL1RTL; QRV Sep23-Oct 3; 160-10m	MD/DL2AWG	Isle of Man	14	DL2AWG; QRV Sep23-Oct 3; 160-10m
MD/DL4SVA	Isle of Man	14	DL4SVA; QRV Sep23-Oct 3; 160-10m	MD/DL7VEE	Isle of Man	14	DL7VEE; QRV Sep23-Oct 3; 160-10m
MJ5Z	Jersey	14	QRV as MJ0CFW before/after contest	OH0JWL	Aland Is	15	DL5FF Buro; QRV Sep 14-25 DL1ZBO
WP3C	Puerto Rico	08	by WP3C	PX0F	Fernando de Noronha	11	LotW,QRV Sep 23-28; 40-10m